

PRAYER LETTER UKRAINE

SEPTEMBER 2022



PRAY

For the internally displaced who are facing a cold winter. Give them shelter and nice warm bed to sleep in.

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For the school children and the students who do not know where or how to spend their next academic year.

MAY CHRIST HAVE MERCY ON US ALL

We stand with the United Methodists in Ukraine in prayer for protection, reconciliation, and peace. We pray for pastors, leaders and congregations in the United Methodist Church in Ukraine; may God grant that their witness of reconciliation and peace will bring strength and hope to the Ukrainian people.

In September we pray especially for the school children and students who do not know if their schools or universities will be offering proper education and will be safe. We pray for those who offer home schooling and for the children who cannot go to school, but must attend online schooling

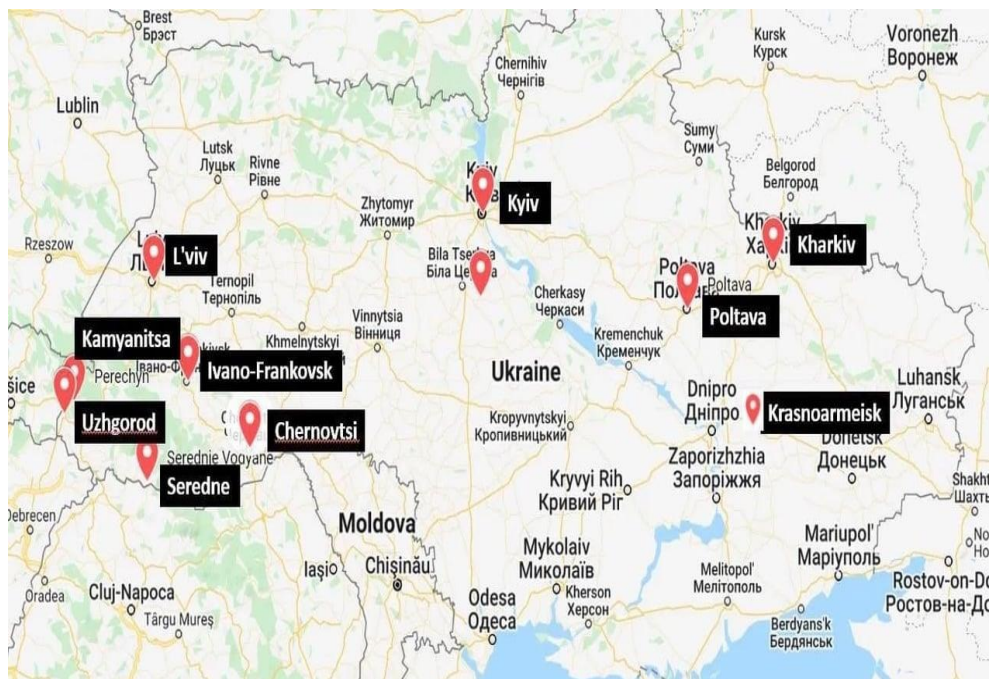
Bishop Christian Alsted

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For God to protect the soldiers who are fighting to gain back eastern and southern territories.

The map shows the United Methodist congregations in Ukraine – there are 350 members (2017 numbers). The churches are strategically located in or in close proximity to the larger cities.

Currently the churches in the most western part of the country in L'viv and Uzhgorod work hard to offer hospitality to refugees, who have fled from other parts of the country and either wish to stay or to move on to another country.



As Christians we recognize the governments under whose protection we reside and believe such governments should be based on, and be responsible for, the recognition of human rights under God. We believe war and bloodshed are contrary to the gospel and spirit of Christ.

The Doctrinal Standards of the United Methodist Church

WHAT TO DO....?

01

PRAY – prayer is active and it makes a real difference

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GIVE – use the <https://umcmmission.org/advance-project/982450>

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HOSPITALITY – be ready to receive refugees in your homes and churches

04

BE THE CHURCH – continue to engage in God's mission

